

Grand Mesa and Uncompahgre National Forest Summer Employment Opportunities



The Grand Valley Ranger District anticipates hiring various temporary Forestry Aids and Forestry Technicians to fill Timber, and Insect and Disease crews for 2012. Most positions start mid May and end late September of 2012. General position duties, skills, as well as additional contacts are listed below.

Timber Marking Crew

Contact: Eric Thompson (970) 263-5824

Major duties on the Timber Marking Crew include marking trees (aspen, spruce/fir, ponderosa pine) for harvesting or leave, marking sale area boundaries, conducting regeneration surveys, common stand exams, applying big game repellent, and aiding cruiser with basic tree measurements.

Insect and Disease Crew

Contact: Christie LaDue (970) 263-5832

Major duties on the Insect and Disease Crew include spruce beetle surveys, setting up and monitoring spruce beetle traps, collecting samples of spruce beetles, as well as assisting the marking crew with timber marking and timber sale layout.

Announcement Numbers:

Timber Marking Crew

OCRT-462-3-GEN-DT (GS-3)

OCRT-462-4-TSP-DT (GS-4)

OCRT-462-5-TSP-DT (GS-5)

Insect & Disease Crew

OCRT-404-3-GENERAL-DT (GS-3)

OCRT-404-4-NATRES-DT (GS-4)

OCRT-404-5-NATRES-DT (GS-5)

Note* Make sure you put Grand Junction, CO as your desired location in Avue or you won't come up on out list of potential candidates.